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First Named Inventor	Jeffrey Michael Fulbright
Art Unit	1761
Examiner Name	Corbin, Arthur L.
Attorney Docket Number	29810

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**AMENDMENT A**

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Sir:

This paper is being submitted concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination, further in response to the Official Action dated 01/29/2004 in the above identified application. Kindly amend the application as follows. A complete listing of the claims, with status identifiers has been included as part of this amendment.

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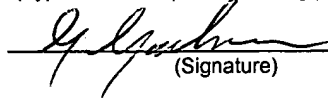
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